



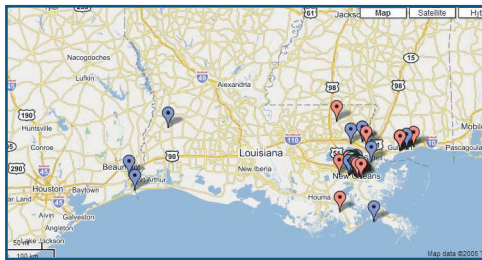
The Hurricane Digital Memory Bank (HDMB) uses electronic media to collect, preserve, and present the stories and digital record of Hurricanes Katrina, Rita, and Wilma.

<http://hurricanearchive.org>

We hope to foster positive legacies by allowing the people affected by these storms to tell their stories in their own words, which as part of the historical record will remain accessible to a wide audience.

Collecting and Preserving

HDMB contributes to the ongoing effort by historians and archivists to preserve the record of these storms by collecting first-hand accounts, emails, on-scene images, blog postings, and podcasts while still allowing contributors to retain copyright.



Browse by Geography

Users may locate submissions on a unique map browser. Driven by Google Maps technology, the HDMB offers a new way to represent historical evidence online.

Project Partners

Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of American History, Louisiana State Museum, Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities, University of Southern Mississippi, Mississippi Humanities Council, USM Center for Oral History and Cultural Heritage, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Museum of the Gulf Coast, and other Gulf area institutions

The University of New Orleans and the Center for History and New Media organized this project with funding from the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.



THE UNIVERSITY of
NEW ORLEANS
www.uno.edu